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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 THOMAS JOHN SMITHSON,)	NO. CIV S 01-01373 GEB DAD P
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11 Petitioner,)	
)	PETITIONER'S MOTION TO
12 v.)	SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL; ORDER
)	
13 DERRAL ADAMS, Warden, and)	Judge: Hon. Dale A. Drozd
JEANNE WOODFORD, Director, California)	
14 Department of Corrections,)	
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15 Respondents.)	
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17 THOMAS JOHN SMITHSON, hereby moves this Court for an order substituting
18 ALLEN BLOOM, Esquire, 550 West C Street, Suite 1670, San Diego, California, 92101;
19 telephone (619) 235-0508, facsimile (619) 235-8898, for the Office of the Federal Defender as
20 petitioner's counsel in this matter.

21 Petitioner has retained Mr. Bloom to represent him in this pending matter. As
22 demonstrated by the attached Substitution of Attorney form signed by both Mr. Bloom and Mr.
23 Smithson, Mr. Bloom has agreed to accept this appointment.

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1 Mr. Bloom is an experienced criminal defense attorney, with specific experience
2 in federal habeas corpus cases.

3 Respectfully submitted,

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5 QUIN DENVIR
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7 Dated: October 7, 2005

8 /s/ Ann C. McClinton
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13 Pursuant to this Motion for Substitution of Counsel and for the reasons stated
14 therein, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Allen Bloom shall be substituted in as counsel for
15 Petitioner in place of the Office of the Federal Defender for the Eastern District of California.

16 DATED: October 20, 2005.

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DALE A. DROZD
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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